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INK DROPLETS PLACEMENT)	
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APPARATUS HAVING APPARATUS)	
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PLACEMENT ERRORS, AND)	
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 23, 2005, the period for response to which extends through March 23, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.